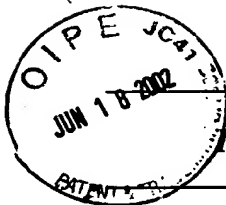


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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 26, 2002 please amend the above identified patent application as follows:

In the Drawings:

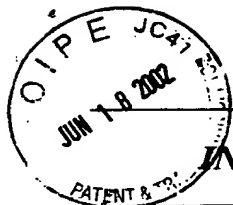
A set of formal drawing has been included with this response.

In The Specification:

Marked-up versions of the amended paragraph have been reproduced below in an appendix A on a separate page. The amended paragraph below is "clean," having no underlining or brackets. Please substitute the clean of the paragraph.

On page 5, 1st full paragraph, please substitute the following paragraph,

Figure 2 illustrates a gaming machine 30 that includes a housing 31, at least one user input 32 coupled to the housing, a display 33, such as, for example, a CRT, LCD or plasma display, coupled to the housing, a money input (for example, coin slot, bill validator, coupon acceptor, smart card reader, credit/debit card reader, or the other devices for accepting currency



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Total Claims	9	MINUS	12	0	x 9 =	x 18 = 0
Independent Claims	1	MINUS	1	0	x 42 =	x 84 = 0
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$140.00	\$280.00
Total					\$	\$0

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a _____ month extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 500388.
- ☐ Enclosed is our Check No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- ☒ Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. IGT1P073).

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